

# Portland Township Planning Commission Minutes

Wednesday, October 26, 2020

## Special Meeting

**Cindy Selden called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.**

**Roll was taken by Sue Van Lente:**

Present: Cindy Selden, Sue Vanlente, Tony Dixon, Evelyn Walkington-Jensen, Ross Schneider, Marcy Lay  
Absent: Andrew Huhn

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion by Tony Dixon, seconded by Marcy Lay to approve the minutes from the last meeting. All were in favor.

**Public Comments:** None

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

1. **Review text amendment request from Ryan and Paul Thelen:** Ryan and Paul Thelen would like to build and operate a slaughterhouse/butcher shop on five acres of land on Spaulding Road. In order for them to do that, the Zoning Ordinance needs to have that use added as a Special Land Use in the Agriculture district. Motion by Marcy Lay, seconded by Ross Schneider to add this language under permitted agricultural service establishments. A Public Hearing will be held at the December 2 meeting.

**Planning Commission Member Comments N/A**

**Future Meetings:** The next regular meetings will be held December 2, 2020, at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Hall

Motion was made by Ross Schneider, seconded by Tony Dixon to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 p.m. All were in favor.

***Respectfully submitted by Sue Van Lente, Secretary.***